

STATE OF INDIANA

COURT

In the Matter of _____ Case No. _____

A Child Alleged to be a Delinquent Child

**INTAKE OFFICER'S ADVICE TO A DELINQUENT CHILD AND PARENT,
GUARDIAN OR CUSTODIAN**
IC 31-37-8-4; IC 31-37-12-6

TO CHILD AND HIS OR HER PARENT, GUARDIAN OR CUSTODIAN:

You are hereby advised of the following rights:

1. You have a right to know the charges against the child;
2. The undersigned intake officer is conducting a preliminary inquiry to assist the prosecutor in determining whether a petition should be filed alleging that the child is a delinquent child;
3. The undersigned intake officer will recommend whether to file a petition, informally adjust the case, refer the child to another agency, or dismiss the case;
4. The child has a right to remain silent, anything he says may be used against him in subsequent judicial proceedings, he has a right to consult with an attorney before he talks with the intake officer, and he has a right to stop at any time and consult with an attorney, and to stop talking with the intake officer at any time;
5. If the child cannot afford an attorney, the Court will appoint one for him or her; and
6. The parent, guardian or custodian may dispute any allegations made at the dispositional or other hearing concerning their participation or may controvert any allegations concerning their financial responsibility for any services that would be provided.

You are further advised that the parents, guardian or custodian of the child may be subjected to the following obligations if the child is adjudicated a delinquent child:

1. The parent, guardian or custodian may be required to participate in a program of care, treatment or rehabilitation for the child; and
2. The parent or guardian of the estate may be held financially responsible for any services provided for himself or the child including the services of court appointed counsel.

Dated this ____ day of _____, 20__ _____
Intake Officer

By signing this paper, you agree only that you have received this advice.

Signature of Child

Signature of Parents, Guardian or Custodian